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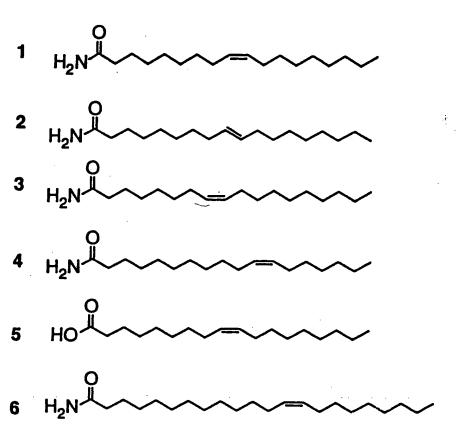


FIG. 1

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DPCLGDLILILRLPSWFKRLLSLLLKPLFPRLAAFLN
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TPMLGPALDLNTPGR

Rat Liver

- 1) Sucrose gradient of liver membrane
- 2) 100 mM Na₂CO₃ wash
- 3) Solublization in Triton-based buffer

Liver Plasma Membrane

- 1) DEAE column (ion exchange)
- 2) Hg column
- 3) Heparin column (detergent xchng)
- 4) Affinity column with trifluoroketone inhibitor

Amidase activity 20-30 fold enriched, 10-15% yield

Assay used: 14C radiolabeled substrate and TLC analysis

Trifluoroketone Inhibitor: $K_i = 1 \text{ nM}$

$$F_3C$$
 $(CH_2)_7$ $(CH_2)_7$ S CH_3

base deprotection of thioacetate, and immediate linkage

Link to disulfidederivatized solid support

$$F_3C$$
 $(CH_2)_7$ $(CH_2)_7$ S Beads

Advantage: thioacetate equivalent inhibitory potential to unmodified inhibitor, remove protein with reducing agent (20 mM DTT, 4° o/n)

FIG. 5

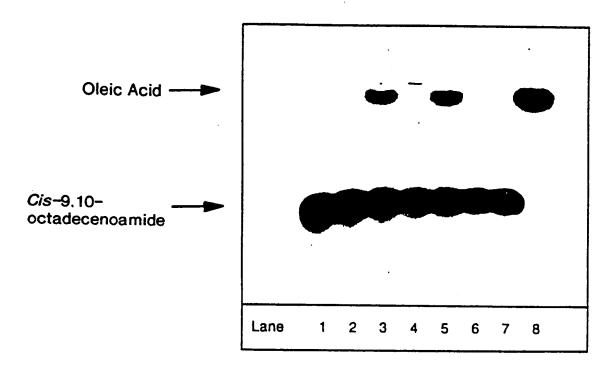


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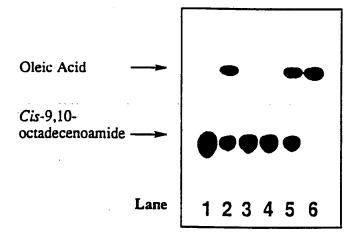


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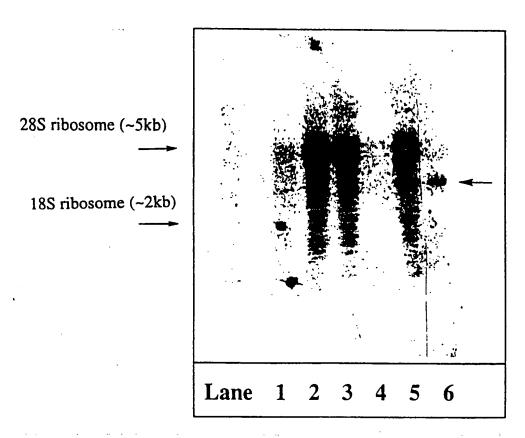


FIG. 8

1-MVLSEVWTTLSGVSGVCLACSLLSAAVVLRWTGRQKARGAATRARQKQRA
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101-LGKAWEVNKGTNCVTSYLTDCETQLSQAPRQGLLYGVPVSLKECFSYKGH
151-DSTLGLSLNEGMPSESDCVVVQVLKLQGAVPFVHTNVPQSMLSFDCSNPL
201-FGQTMNPWKSSKSPGGSSGGEGALIGSGGSPLGLGTDIGGSIRFPSAFCG
251-ICGLKPTGNRLSKSGLKGCVYGQTAVQLSLGPMARDVESLALCLKALLCE
301-HLFTLDPTVPPLPFREEVYRSSRPLRVGYYETDNYTMPSPAMRRALIETK
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401-LGDLILIRLPSWFKRLLSLLLKPLFPRLAAFLNSMRPRSAEKLWKLQHE
451-IEMYRQSVIAQWKAMNLDVLLTPMLGPALDLNTPGRATGAISYTVLYNCL
501-DFPAGVVPVTTVTAEDDAQMELYKGYFGDIWDIILKKAMKNSVGLPVAVQ
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FIG. 9

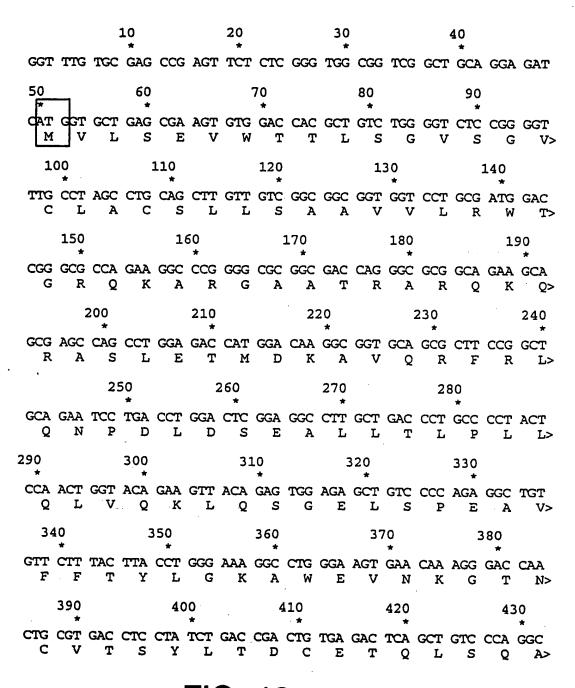


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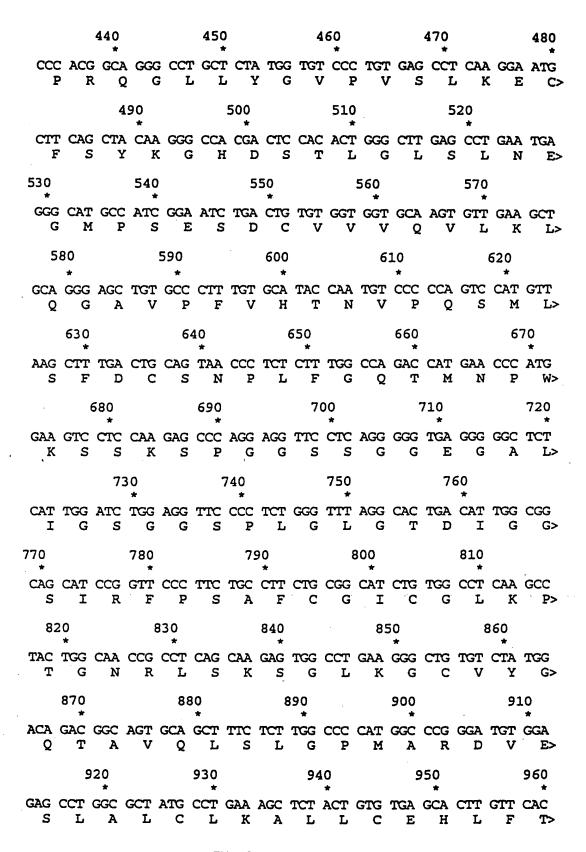


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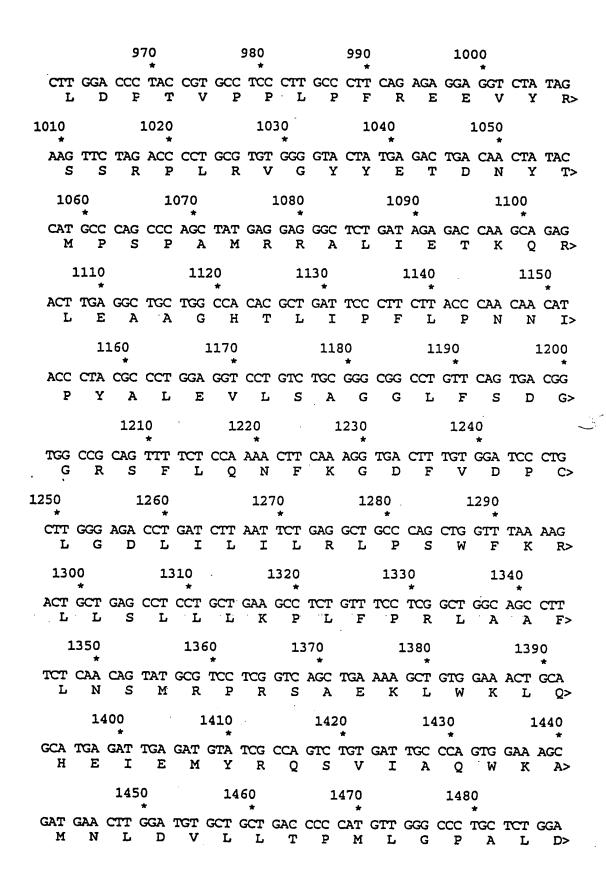


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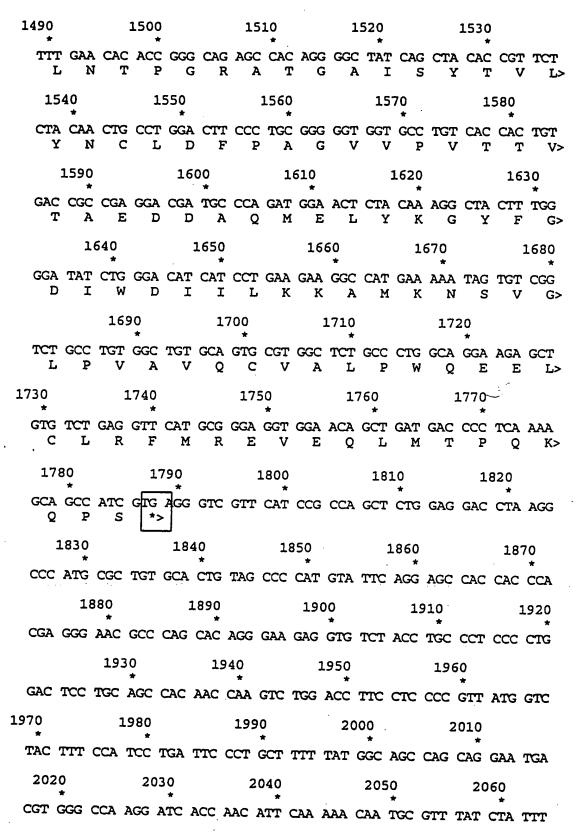
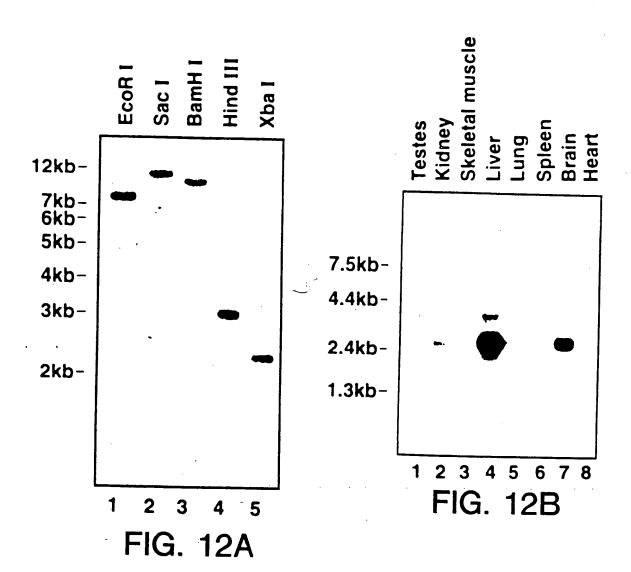


FIG. 10-4

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FIG. 10-5

Oleamide Hydrolase (Rat)	215-GGSSGGEGALIGSGGSPLGLGTDIGGSIRFPS-246
Propionamidase (Chick)	222-GGSSGGEGALIAGGGSLLGIGSDVAGSIRLPS-253
Putative Amidase (C. elegans)	212-GGSSGGEGALIGAGGSLIGIGTDVGGSVRIPC-243
Putative Amidase (C. elegans)	213-GGSSGGESALISADGSLLGIGGDVGGSIRIPC-244
Putative Amidase (S. cervevisiae)	207-GGSSGGEGSLIGAHGSLLGLGTDIGGSIRIPS-238
Acetamidase (Aspergillus)	202-GGSSGGEGAIVGIRGGVIGVGTDIGGSIDVPA-233
Indoleacetamidase (Agrobacterium)	147-GGSSGGVAAAVASRLMLGGIGTDTGASVRLPA-178
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	FIG. 11



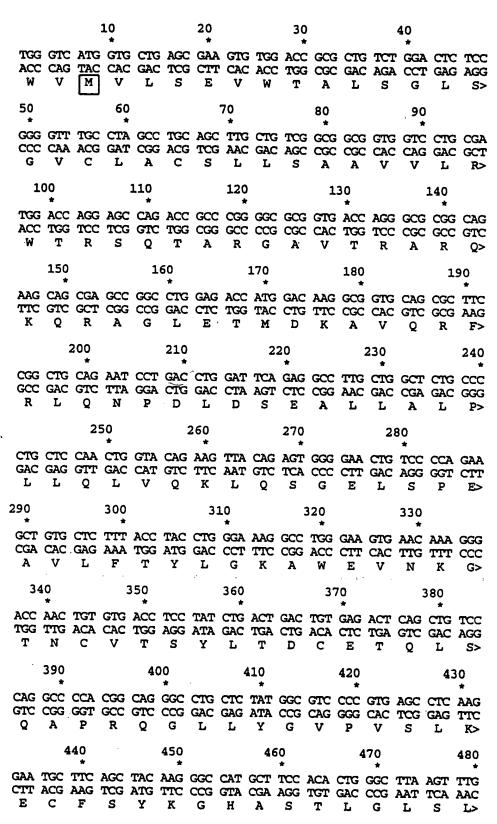


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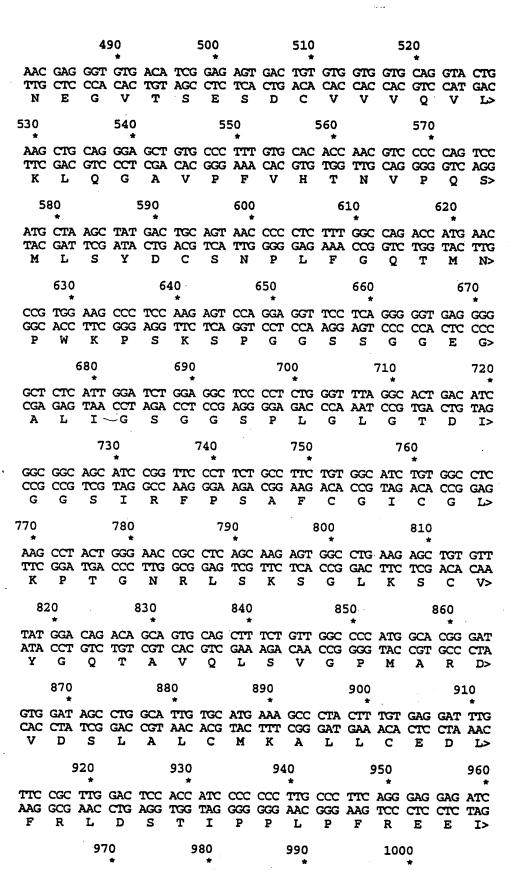


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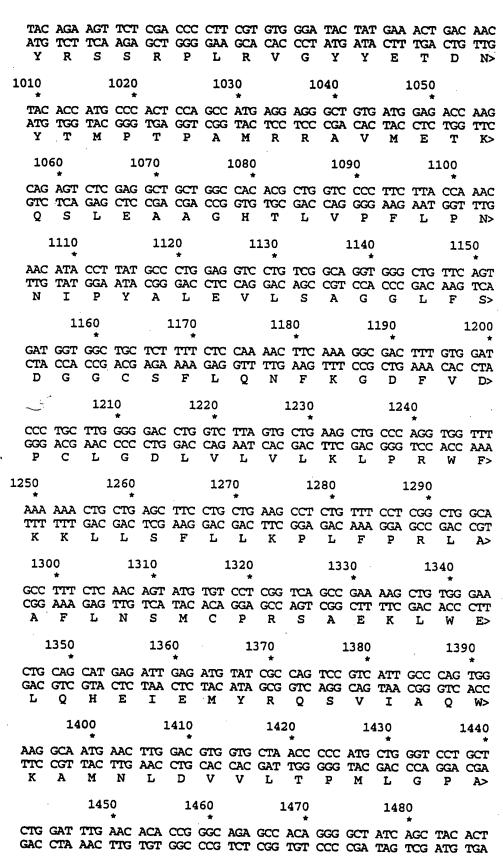


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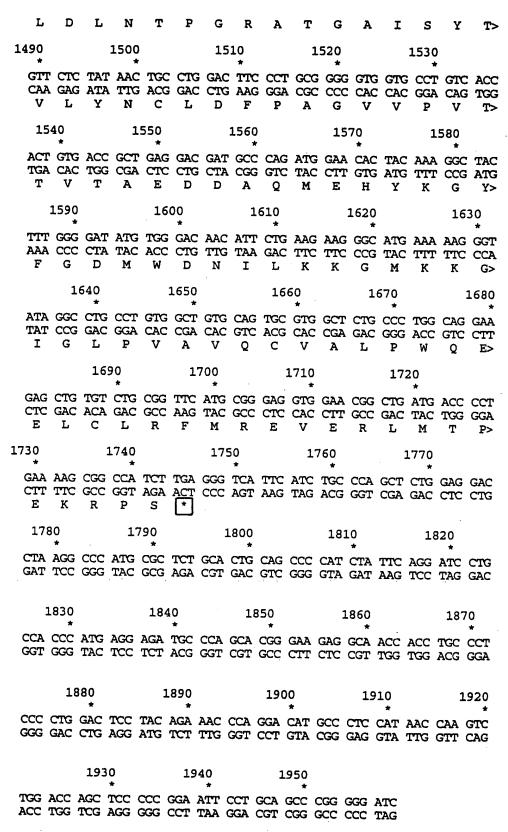


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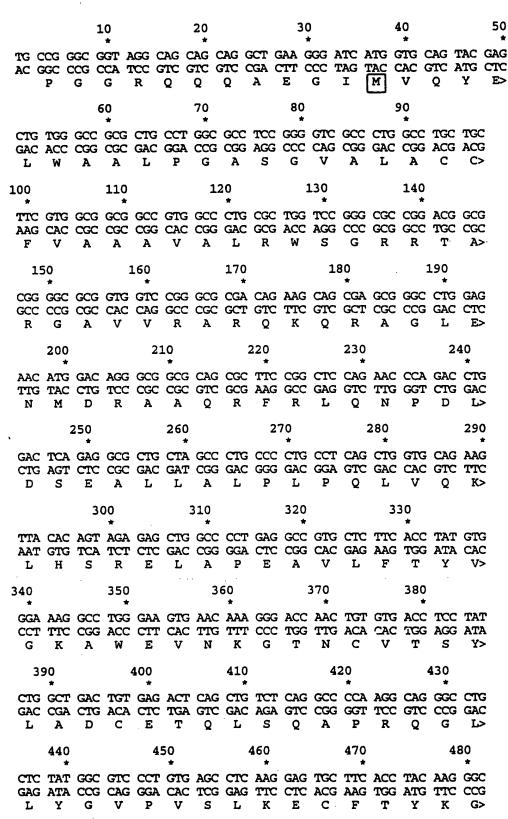


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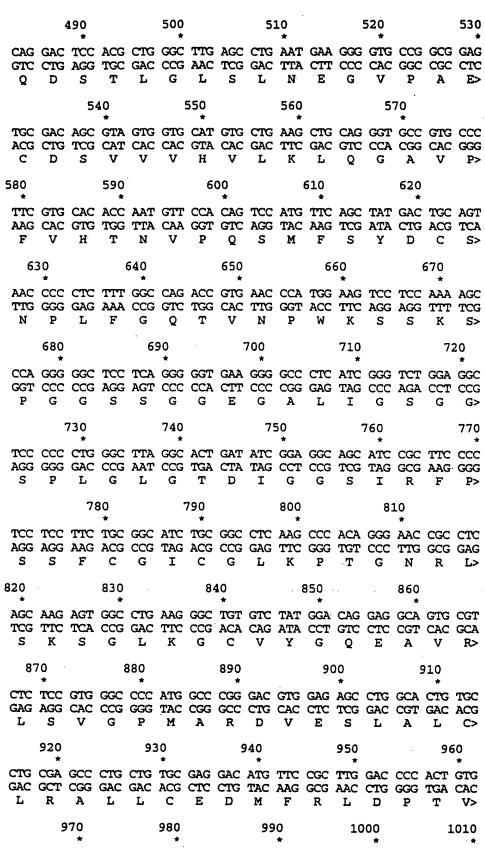


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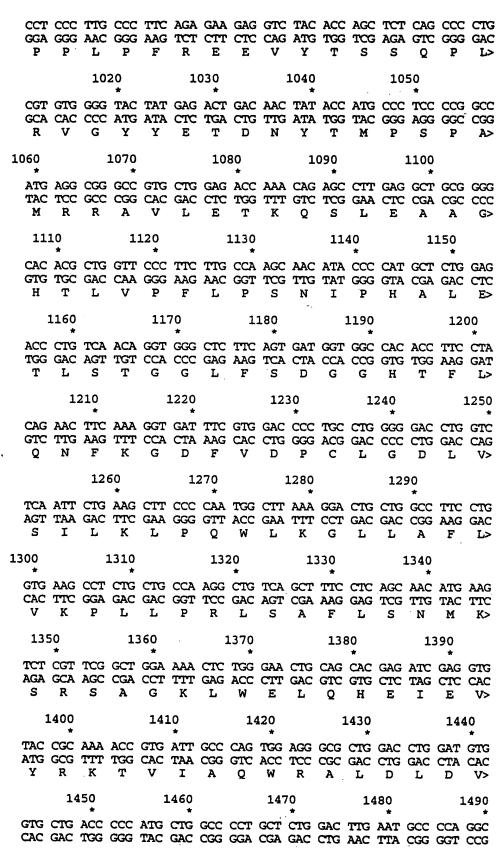


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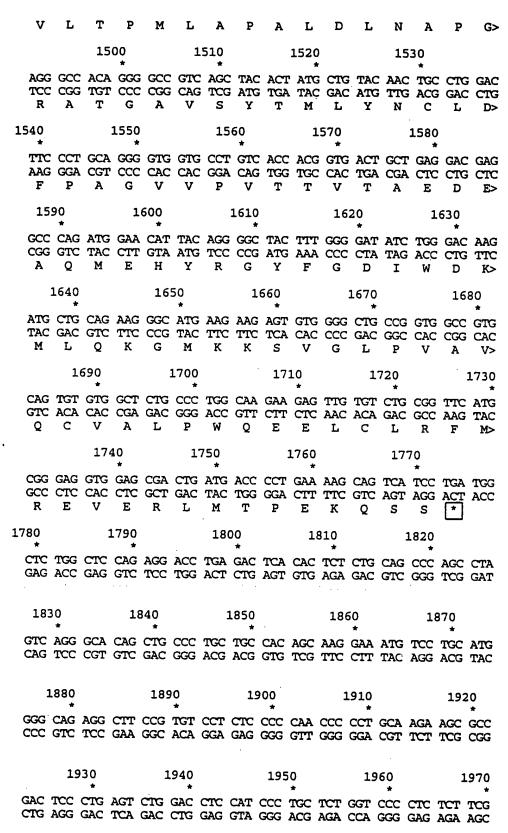


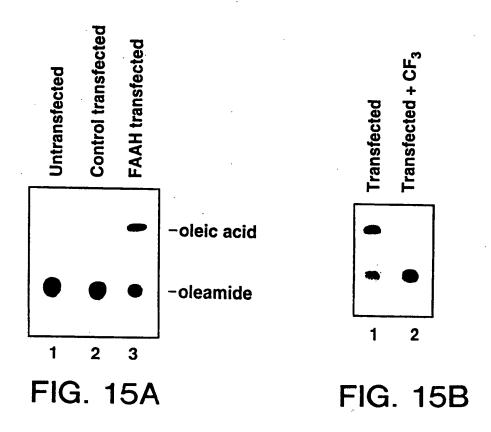
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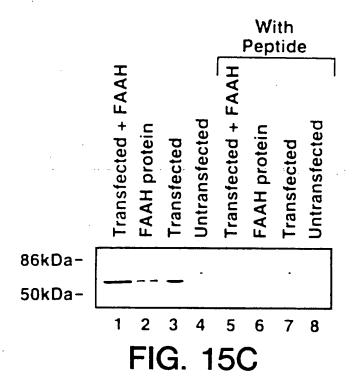
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CAA GGC CCA ACT AAC AGC CCC GGA ATT GTT CCG GGT TGA TTG TCG GGG CCT TAA

FIG. 14-5





- oleic acid
- − oleamide
- 1 2

FIG. 16

Anandamide std. Untransfected FAAH transfected Arach. acid std.

